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Spring Clean Up 2000 Scheduled

An administrative and housing area clean up is scheduled as part of the Keep Stuttgart Clean program. The dates for Panzer Kaserne and Robinson Barracks are April 3 to 7. Administrative building clean up will take place April 3 and 4 and in housing areas April 5 to 7. Kelley and Patch barracks will hold clean up April 17 to 21. Administrative building clean up will take place April 17 to 18 and in the housing area April 19 to 21.

Bagged refuse, branches and large, oversized waste such as mattresses and couches should be placed next to dumpsters for pickup. Items that may not be placed in dumpsters include tires, large metal items, shelving, auto parts, car batteries and any other predominantly-wooden items larger than one cubic foot, especially wooden pallets.

Organizations are requested to release personnel living in government housing during their allotted day for housing clean up. For tips, tasks and other information call your respective installation coordinator: Kelley Barracks, 0711-729-2522; Patch Barracks, 0711-680-5450; Panzer Kaserne, 07031-15-806 and Robinson Barracks, 0711-819-7343.

SECTION I OFFICIAL INFO

Numbers To Know...

In case of an emergency call...

Military Police	0711-680-114
Medical	0711-680-116
Fire	0711-680-117
For other non-emergencies contact:	
American Red Cross	07031-15-818
Emergency Action Center	0711-729-2601
Chaplain	0711-680-5000
Family Assistance Center	07031-15-524
MP Desk Sergeant	0711-680-5262
Sexual Harassment Hotline	0711-729-2708
Gen. Clark's Education Hotline	0711-680-6121
Personal Health Advisor	0800-825-1600
Weather Update/	
Road Conditions Hotline	0711-729-2474

Ball Park Franks Recalled

European commissaries are recalling one particular lot of Ball Park franks that may be contaminated with Listeria, which can cause serious illness. Check the package for UPC numbers 054500000850 or 054500000860. Return these packages to the commissary for a refund.

For more info call the food safety officer at 489-7361/civ. 0631-352-3001.

Mentorship Program

Patch American High School needs community participation to build a strong Mentorship Program. Mentors are people who help a young person by functioning as a friend, counselor, mediator and as a role model.

For more info contact Ms. Zekel at 430-7191/civ. 0711-680-7191 or e-mail (Winifred_Zekel@eu.odedodea.edu).

Officer Candidate School Boards

The 6th Area Support Group will conduct two OCS Structured Interview Boards. The first will be held April 17 at 9 a.m. and the other July 10. The boards will be conducted in building 3315, second floor, command sergeant major conference room, Kelley Barracks. This is the first step for service members to become a commissioned officer in the U.S. Army. For more info call Staff Sgt. Mimms or Sgt.1st Class Caraballo at 421-2153/civ. 0711-729-2153.

USAFE Inspector General Visits Patch

A representative of Headquarters, United States Air Forces in Europe, Office of the

Inspector General, visits Patch Barracks March 31 to conduct personal conference periods. The IG representative will meet with Air Force personnel from 8 to 10:30 a.m. Walk-in conferences are possible, but scheduled appointments have priority. For more info call Staff Sgt. Valerie Myer at 430-8363/civ. 0711-680-8363.

Force Protection Exercises Planned

A force protection exercise is planned for April 6 on Robinson Barracks. An all-installation exercise is scheduled for June 8. Expect delays when entering the installations.

Civilian Personnel Open Forum

A civilian personnel open forum is scheduled April 4 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Patch Theater. The purpose is to inform employees and managers about new developments in the human resource area and to answer questions and concerns. For more info call 421-2665/civ. 0711-729-2665.

SERVICES

APO Plans Field Training Exercise

The Army Post Office on Patch Barracks will participate in a field training exercise by deploying to an exercise location April 4 and 5. Normal services will be provided from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. between buildings 2310 and 2311, near the high school. Patrons are encouraged to visit the deployed APO and support the training. All other Stuttgart APOs are not effected. For more info call 1st Lt. Lasater at 421-4149/civ. 0711-729-4149.

Training Support Center Relocates

Training Support Center has moved to building 2948, Panzer Kaserne, and has new phone numbers. Call TSC at 431-2913/civ. 07031-15-913 or send them a fax at 431-2712/civ. 07031-15-712.

SECTION II COMMUNITY INFO

Signal Corps Celebrates Birthday

The European Regimental Signal Ball will be held at the Village Pavilion, Patrick Henry Village, in Heidelberg June 24. The event is sponsored by the 2nd Signal Brigade and will celebrate the 140th birthday of the Army Signal Corps. Tickets will be available soon for \$23.

All officers, non-commissioned officers and civilians are invited to attend. For more info contact 1st Lt. Gunst at 430-5356/civ. 0711-680-5356, e-mail: (gunstc@52sigbn.stuttgart.army.mil)

or visit the Signal Ball Web page at (www.signalball.army.mil).

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Senior Enlisted Organization Proposed

A meeting is scheduled March 31 at 3:30 p.m. in the Swabian Special Events Center to discuss the feasibility of establishing a senior enlisted organization in this area. Individuals in pay grades E-6 through E-9, from all service branches, active duty, reservists and retired are invited to attend.

The purpose of the meeting is to inform everyone of what initial options are available to form a group and determine the level of interest.

The intent of the organization would be to foster and increase camaraderie, morale, teamwork and inter-unit cooperation within this joint environment. It would provide increased opportunities for social interaction between enlisted families and develop additional avenues for mentorship and professional growth within the enlisted community.

For more info call 434-5905/civ. 0711-686-39-5905 or e-mail (marriotw@eur.disa.mil).

Patch Chapel Conducts Liturgy

A communal reconciliation liturgy with individual opportunities to receive the sacrament will be conducted April 17 at 7 p.m. in the Patch Barracks Chapel. This is the Catholic Community Lenten Reconciliation Celebration. For more info call 430-5798/civ. 0711-680-5798.

Patch YS Sponsors Car Wash

Patch Youth Services is sponsoring a car wash in Joe Dugan's parking lot April 1 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Let the Middle School and Teen program youth give your car a spring spruce up. For more info call 430-5378/civ. 0711-680-5378.

Catholic Chrism Mass Planned

A Catholic Chrism Mass will be celebrated in the Heidelberg Chapel on April 19 at 11a.m. During this ceremony the holy oils used in the sacraments of baptism, confirmation and anointing the sick are blessed. Also during this ceremony,

priests renew their vows. For more info call 430-5000/Civ. 0711-680-5000.

EDUCATION & TRAINING

Basic Network Training Class Offered

Appointed Systems Administrators, Network Managers and Information Assurance Officers are required to complete USAREUR Basic Network training courses by Sept. 1. Personnel must register with the Regional Computer Emergency Response Team before courses can be scheduled. Lack of compliance may result in loss of access to USAREUR networks. For more info contact (joanna.hays@cmtymail.6asg.army.mil).

Official Mail Procedures Class

An Official Mail procedures training class will be held April 4 from 9 a.m. to noon in building 3307, second floor, Kelley Barracks. Objectives are to explain regulations, different types of mail and procedures for preparing and addressing official mail. Provide names by March 31 to Ms. Sehra at 421-2918/civ. 0711-729-2918.

Free German Language Courses

Army Community Service is offering two German language courses for beginners. One course meets Tuesdays April 4 to May 16 from 1 to 2:30 p.m. in building 151 on Robinson. The other meets Wednesdays April 19 to May 31 from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in building 2307 on Patch. To register call 430-7176/civ. 0711-680-7176.

15th Annual Aquatics Academy

The American Red Cross in Baumholder announces the 15th annual aquatics academy April 25 through May 9. Courses offered include: instructor candidate training; CPR for the professional rescuer; lifeguard training; basic water rescue instructor; water safety instructor; lifeguard instructor; water safety instructor trainer and lifeguard instructor trainer. For more info call 485-1760/civ. 06783-61-760.

April is Alcohol Awareness Month

April is alcohol awareness month and the 6th Area Support Group Alcohol and Drug Control Office plans to spoof the television game show, Who Wants to be a Millionaire, with questions about alcohol. Locations will include Patch food court April 7 from 12 to 4 p.m.; Panzer mail room April 20 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Robinson CX April 21 from 2 to 5 p.m. and Kelley commissary April 26 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. For more info call 431-2530/civ 07031-15-530.

Investment Seminars Offered Monthly

Learn how to understand the financial pages of a newspaper. Army Community Service offers monthly investment seminars in building 2307 Patch Barracks. Basic investment classes are held the first and last Thursdays from 3 to 4:45 p.m. For more info call 430-7176/civ. 0711-680-7176.

ARTS & CRAFTS

Make Stained Glass Window Hangings

Learn the step by step process of constructing a beautiful stained glass window hanging at Patch Arts and Crafts. The class meets April 4, 6, 11, 13, 18 and 20 from 6 to 8 p.m. For more info call 430-7109/civ. 0711-680-7109.

Mini Baskets Quilt

Visit the Gussy Goose Craft Store on Patch Barracks April 5 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. April is the perfect month for this totally pieced mini-basket block. Join Dee in this continuing mini saga. Fee is \$20 plus supplies. For more info call 430-5270/civ. 0711-680-5270.

ENTERTAINMENT

Experience an Art Gallery Exhibition

The Galerie Walter Bischoff of Stuttgart presents an exhibition titled, Print Retrospective, April 6 at 6 p.m. consisting of works by Geoffrey Bowman. The artist is Professor Emeritus of the Arts at San Jose University of California. He will attend the opening and will show works on paper produced between 1963 and 1995. In all of Bowman's works the imagery is abstract, organic and geometric in form and often symbolic. The artist's affection for jazz and his interest in oriental philosophy is reflected in his work. For more info call the James F. Byrnes Institute at 0711-228-180.

Bingo Lovers Play for Prizes

Kelley Barracks residents are teaching Germans the great American game of bingo on April 8 at 3 p.m. at the Parish Hall in Asemwald.

Various prizes including pottery, theater tickets and Beanie Babies. Everyone is invited to attend. Proceeds will go to the building repair of the Asemwald Protestant Kindergarten, attended by many American children.

To find the Asemwald Parish Hall, drive out the Kelley Barracks back gate, turn right onto the main road, turn right again into Asemwald then park and

follow the signs. For more info call Laurie Almodovar at 421-2046/civ. 0711-729-2046.

USAREUR Band Performs

The U.S. Army Europe Band gives a concert March 31 at 8 p.m. at the forum next to the Ludwigsburg Castle park grounds. Proceeds from the concert will benefit two nonprofit organizations in the local area.

Ticket prices range from 24 to 44 marks and can be obtained at the tourist information office in Ludwigsburg. Student and military discounts up to 50 percent are available. For more info on the concert, not tickets, call 421-2712/civ. 0711-729-2712.

Movie Schedule

If you have questions or wish to confirm times and ratings call the Patch Theater at 0711-680-5310 or the Robinson Barracks Theater, 0711-819-6137. All movies and times are subject to change.

Patch Barracks Theater:

Apr. 1, Galaxy Quest, 7 p.m., PG
Supernova, 9:30 p.m., PG-13

Apr. 2, To be determined, 4 p.m.,
Supernova, 7 p.m., PG-13

Apr. 3, Galaxy Quest, 7 p.m., PG

Apr. 4, Supernova, 7 p.m., PG-13

Apr. 5, Galaxy Quest, 7 p.m., PG

Apr. 6, Supernova, 7 p.m., PG-13

Apr. 7, Mission to Mars, 7 p.m., PG
Next Friday, 9:30 p.m., R

Robinson Barracks Theater:

Apr. 1, Galaxy Quest, 7 p.m., PG

Apr. 2, To be determined, 4 p.m.,
To be determined, 7 p.m.,

Apr. 3 - 6, Closed

Apr. 7, Play It to the Bone, 7 p.m., R

Corso Theater (Hauptstr. 6, Vaihingen):

For the schedule call the theater at 0711-734-916. The recording is in both English and German.

THRIFT SHOP

Robinson Barracks Thrift Shop

The RB Thrift Shop offers a consignment sales program to patrons. Consignors receive 80 percent of the selling price for items sold. Consignment of larger items is limited and prior coordination with staff is required. Profits generated by the shop from

consignment sales are returned to the military community.

The shop always needs transformers, small modern appliances including freezers, refrigerators

and TVs. Also needed are VCRs, music and computer CDs, video movies and game cassettes.

Donations of all types are appreciated including magazines and books, both hard back and paper back. Normally the staff can assist with transporting larger items to the shop if coordinated in advance. Serviceable items not utilized in the shop are forwarded to the Pfenning Bazaar drop-off point.

Shop operating hours are Thursdays through Saturdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. with consignments accepted until 12:30 p.m. For more info call 0711-854-242.

CLUB INFO

Patch Club Holds Acoustic Jam Night

It's open acoustic jam night at Patch Community Club April 13. All levels of musicians are invited to bring their instruments and participate in this informal jam session. Musicians meet at 6 p.m. and the music begins at 7 p.m. For more info call Patrick Ellis at 0171-237-0538 or e-mail (bluefrog71@hotmail.com).

Experience Live Jazz and Blues

The Joe Fagan Quartet provides a free performance March 31 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Swabian Special Events Center on Patch Barracks. For more info call 430-8205/civ. 0711-680-8205.

JOB CORNER

Maternal Child Health Nurse Vacancy

A maternal child health nurse contract position opens Aug. 1 at Army Community Service. ACS is seeking a registered nurse with a bachelor's degree in nursing, preferably a master's degree and work experience in antepartum care, labor and delivery, postpartum and administration. Those interested should bring their resume or resumix to building 2307, Patch Barracks. For more info call Marcia Muzinich 430-7176/civ 0711-680-7176.

Tour Drivers and Escorts Needed

The USO is looking for tour drivers and escorts to support its many great travel programs. This is a wonderful opportunity for people who like to travel because the USO will pay you to do it. For more info call Nicole at 430-5559/civ. 0711-680-5559.

GETAWAYS

Memorial Day Weekend Trip to London

Order of the Eastern Star, Alice R. Matthews chapter #77, is sponsoring a Memorial Day Weekend Trip to London. The cost is \$290 per adult, children's fare is \$189 when sharing a room with adult or \$259 for a private room. The cost includes transportation and three nights lodging with breakfast. Four installment payments are possible if made by May 15. For more info contact Petty Officer Clemons 430-8208/civ. 0711-680-8208 or Staff Sgt. Crawford at 0171-166-6565.

Paris and EuroDisney ExpressTrip

Join the USO and visit France for the day. You have the option of being dropped off at Disneyland for the day (entrance not included) or go into Paris for an orientation tour and some free time afterwards. Bring your passport and French francs for the day. Entrance fees for Disneyland are FF 220 for adults and FF 170 for children, ages 3-11. The trip departs Patch Barracks at 11 p.m. and RB 11:30 p.m. April 7 and returns approximately 5 a.m. on April 9. Cost is \$79 for adults and \$60 for children, ages 3-12. For more info call 430-5559/civ. 0711-680-5559.

YOUTH & TEEN

Robinson YS Holds Pool Tournament

Join Robinson Youth Service when they hold a pool tournament April 14 from 7 to 10 p.m. for youth ages 11 to 15. The \$5 fee includes entrance fee, a hot dog, chips and a soda. For more info call 420-7017/civ. 0711-819-7017.

Spring Teen Dance

Order of the Eastern Star, Alice R. Matthews chapter 77, is sponsoring a teen dance April 8 at the Patch High School forum from 8 p.m. to midnight. The event is open to teens ages 13 to 18 and costs \$5 per person. Food and beverages will be available and chaperones will be provided. For more info call Petty Officer Clemons at 430-8208/civ. 0711-680-8208 or Staff Sgt. Crawford at 0171-166-6565.

Patch Youth Services Offers Programs

The Patch Youth Service offers a music program for children 18 months and older. The program, Music for the Young Child, teaches children the basics of singing and introduces simple music instruments and movements. Cost for the 45-minute group lesson is \$35 per month and parents are required to accompany the child. This fun-filled introduction to music is a great way to bring song and dance into your child's life. Class begins April 3 at 10 a.m.

Another program offering can change your exercise routine by teaching you the traditional dance of Hawaii. The hula is a dance of grace and beauty that anyone can learn. Starting April 3, adult classes will be offered Mondays from 10 to 11:30 a.m. and age 14 to adult Tuesdays from 7 to 8:30 p.m. The cost is \$50 per month.

Sign up today for a variety of classes including taekwondo, jujitsu, submission arts, social dance, ballet, tap, gymnastics, swimming, piano, guitar and German language class. Stop by YS to pick up a flyer on dates and times of classes.

Fashion Show Springs Up

Come out and strut your stuff when the Robinson Barracks Youth Services hosts a fashion show for youth ages 6 to 10 April 7 at 7 p.m. For more info call 420-7017/civ. 0711-819-7017.

Parent's Night Out Cancelled

The parent's night out scheduled for April 1 has been cancelled due to low demand. The next one is May 6 at Kelley Child Development Center from 6 to 10 p.m. For more info call 430-7458/civ. 0711-680-7458.

SPORTS & FITNESS

'Tis the Season to Use Husky Field

This is the season when Husky Field Sports Complex on Patch Barracks is in the greatest demand and requires prior coordination by all users. A schedule has been established to provide times and locations for high school, youth services, military sports and other activities.

If you are interested in using the field for unit or personal activities, coordinate your desired times and location with Patch Fitness Center before going out to the field. This process takes just a few minutes and can afford your activity maximum, uninterrupted use of available resources. For more info call 430-5386/civ. 0711-680-5386.

European Football Season Kicks Off

The Frankfurt Galaxy NFL Europe team kicks off their season April 22 in Frankfurt. Tickets for seats on the 50 yard line at Waldstadion are available at the USO on Patch. For more info call 430-5559/civ. 0711-680-5559.

Adult Dance Lessons Offered

The next block of country and swing dance lessons are quickly approaching. Adults can sign up through Kelley Youth Service if interested in learning the two-step and cha-cha. Group classes will be held on Kelley Barracks each Wednesday

from April 5 to 26, 6 to 7:30 p.m. The cost is \$30 a couple for the entire month or \$15 per individual. No partner is required. Private lessons are also available for \$20 per hour. For more info call the Kelley YS at 421-2548/civ. 0711-729-2548 or Mark and Erica at 0711-726-1105. You can also e-mail (dance@mcartor5.com).

MARKETPLACE

Items are listed for two weeks unless the Post is notified they are no longer valid. Inclusion on a space-available basis and editor discretion apply.

For Sale/Vehicles/Equipment:

'83 Mercedes 380SE, automatic, 4 door, Kenwood stereo AM/FM cassette, power sunroof, power door locks, dealer maintained, new brakes, excellent condition, inspection good until April 2001, \$3,500. Call 0711-856-0560.

'96 Ford Probe GT, V6, 2.5 liter, 5-speed manual trans., 33,000 miles, A/C, P/W, P/L, power steering, power seats, power mirrors, tilt wheel, cruise control, AM/FM stereo CD, ABS, dual air bags, rear spoiler. Great car for cruising. Asking \$12,000. Call Tony 0711-613282.

'83 Mercedes 280 SE, light blue, German spec, automatic, A/C, front power windows, cassette, 253,000 km., runs great, \$2,200. Call 430-4208/civ. 0711-680-4208 or e-mail (cookc@eucom.mil).

Housing:

House for rent, 120 sq. meters, 1800 marks, 3-BR, 1-1/2 baths, pets ok, kitchen included. About 25 minutes from Patch, near Weil der Stadt. Call 07051-7185.

Relocating (PCS) to Stuttgart in June and looking for a 1 or 2 bedroom place with a yard for 2 small dogs. Will arrive here in late March to locate housing. Contact (sulilly@aol.com).

Employment/Services/Miscellaneous:

The rock band Gas Money & Beer is looking for a bass player starting in June. Contact Bruce at 687-7083 or e-mail: (gmandb@yahoo.com).

Housekeeper wanted once a week to clean house and do laundry in family housing on Patch. Pay is negotiable. Call 0711-680-4444 daytime or 0711-687-4583 after 7 p.m.

The International School of Stuttgart is seeking a registered nurse with pediatric experience and the ability to teach health related subjects. Work hours are 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Mondays to Fridays with all school holidays off. The German holiday schedule is followed. Knowledge of German is useful but not required. If interested send your resume with a cover letter to International School of Stuttgart, Attn: Diane Stringer, School Nurse, Sigmaringer Strasse 257, 70597 Stuttgart, Degerloch, Germany. For more info call 0711-769-6000.

A senior customer service representative is wanted to fill a full-time permanent position with a U.S. lending firm in Ludwigsburg. Applicants must possess exceptional communication and telephone skills, be a team player and a logical decision maker, have a positive attitude and a desire to learn. They should also have computer skills and be able to remain in the position until at least March 2002. German benefits are offered and a salary commensurate with experience. Fax your resume to Gloria at 07141-281-068 or call 07141-28-600.

For Sale/Miscellaneous:

German dining room table, large, extendable, oval, dark wood, with 6 chairs, all in good condition. Asking \$225. Call 07031-287-793 after 6 p.m.

Baby items, all in great condition: walker \$10; jumper \$10; bath seat \$3.50, changing table/tub \$40, infant car seat/glider \$30. Child's kitchen set, brand name Step 2, looks like brand new, includes stove, dishwasher and fridge, \$25. Call 0711-817-7743.

Satellite receiver and antenna, Micro Technology model S-4000 with remote, picks up Astra channels. \$75. Call Frank 0711-680-8344 or evenings 07152-903-785.

China cabinet, beautiful, antique, light oak, Victorian scrolled brass handles. Must sell. Asking \$550. Call 0711-677-0572.

Wanted:

Appliances, 220 volt: transformers, microwave, vacuum cleaner and iron. Also queen size bed frame with or without mattress. Call Patti 07031-602-197.

AFN television signal decoder. Call Quintin Quinn 430-8665/civ. 0711-680-8665.

Free:

Sofa, large, chocolate brown, good condition, must pick up. For more info call 0179-630-7255.

Cats, previously abandoned, need quiet, English-speaking homes, cats are afraid of children. Call Sigrid at 07143-60081.

For the April 14 issue, submit items by noon on April 5. Articles must not exceed 75 words. Space is limited and content is at the editor's discretion. Articles run for a maximum of two weeks. Include your name and civilian telephone number with area code. Send items to 6th ASG, ATTN: Stuttgart Community Post, APO AE 09107; fax 0711-729-2051; e-mail (media@6asg.army.mil); or deliver it to the Media Center, building 3307, Kelley Barracks. For more info call 421-2000/civ. 0711-729-2000. The Secretary of the Army has determined the publication of a periodical is necessary in the transaction of public business as required by law. Use of funds for printing this publication was approved by U.S. Army, Europe, June 1, 1990, in accordance with Army Reg. 25-30.

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